

*Bell Work*  
*28-April-2014*

**What is the pH of a 1.75M solution of NaOH? What does pH stand for?**

# *Agenda*

## Galvanic Cell

### **Objective:**

You will know what a galvanic cell is and its parts!

# *Electrochemistry*

## Applications of Redox Rxns and Electricity

# *Review*

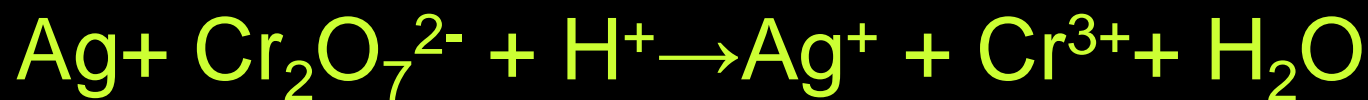
**Oxidation reduction reactions involve a transfer of electrons.**

**Oxidation Involves Loss of electrons  
(charge goes up)**

**Reduction Involves Gain of electrons  
(charge goes down)**

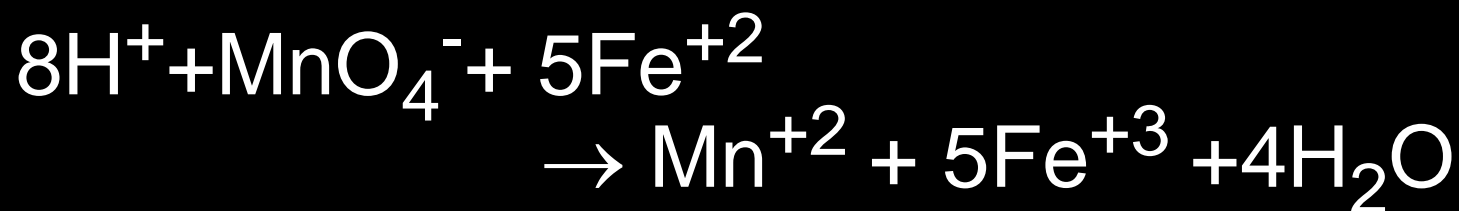
# Review

- I. What is the reducing agent?
- II. What is the coefficient in front of water in the *balanced* equation below?

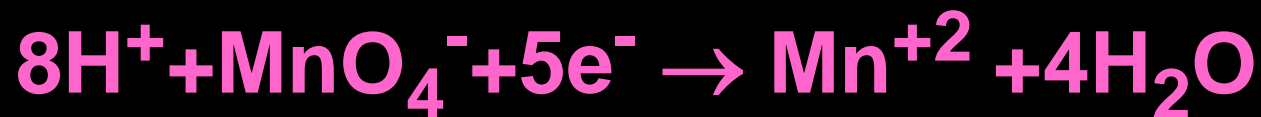


# *Applications*

Moving electrons is electric current.



Helps to break the reactions into half rxns.

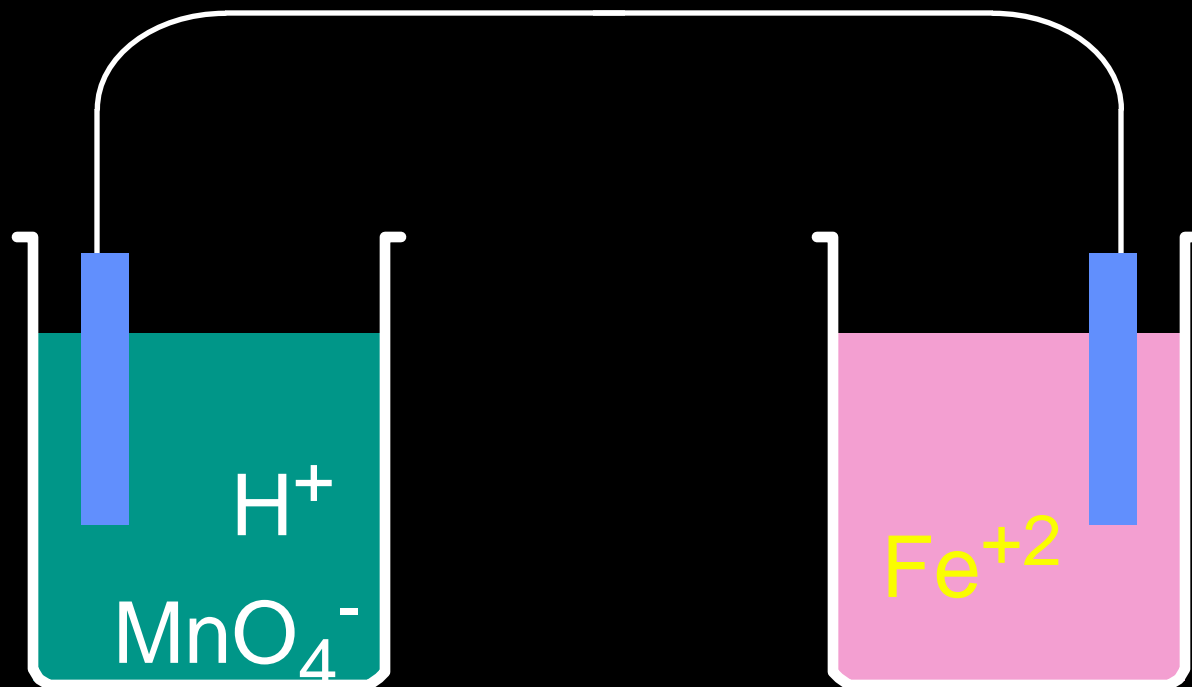


In the same mixture it happens without doing useful work, but if separated... we can do work

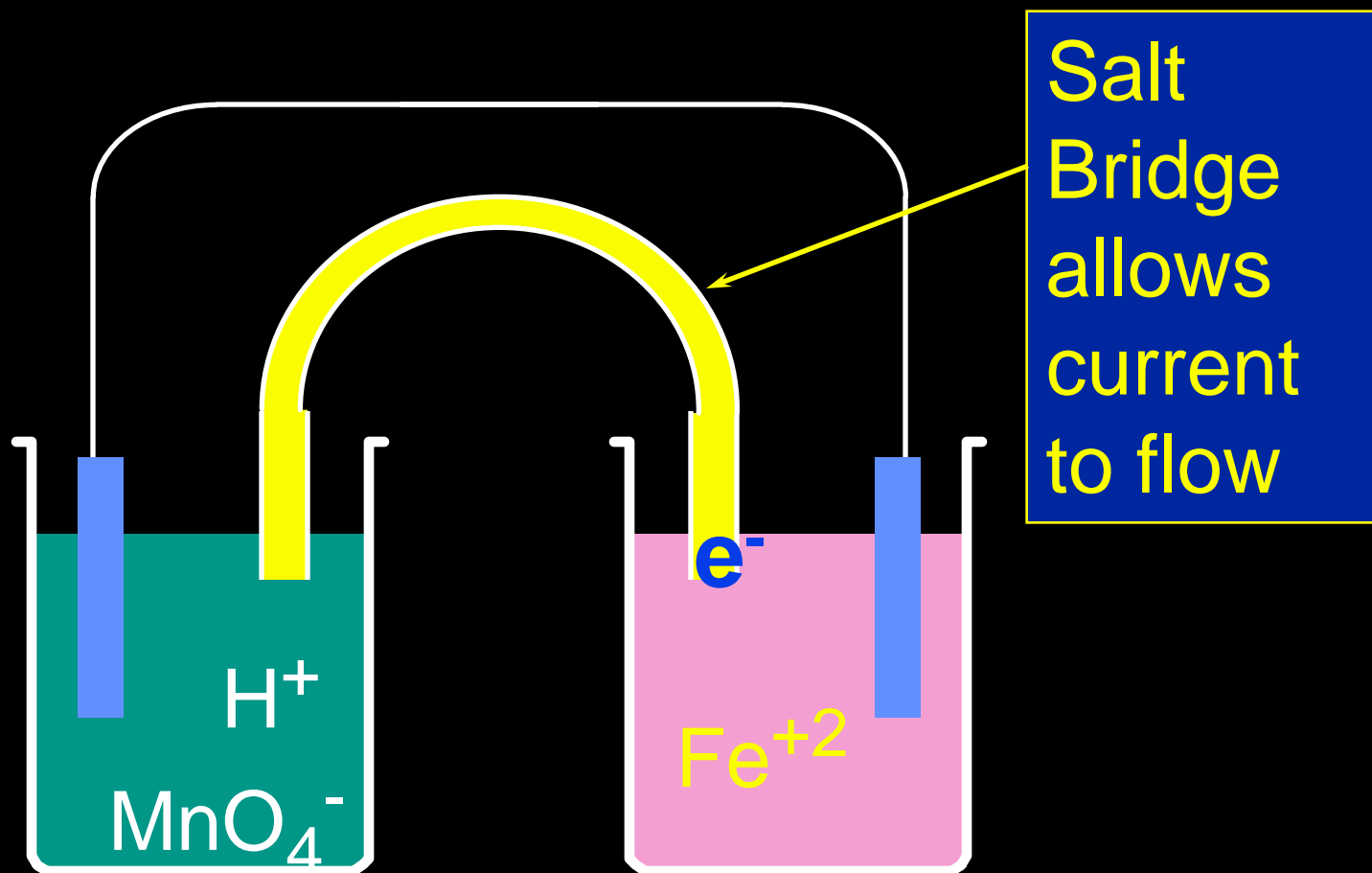
# *Galvanic / Voltaic Cell*

Connected this way the rxn starts

Stops immediately because charge builds up.

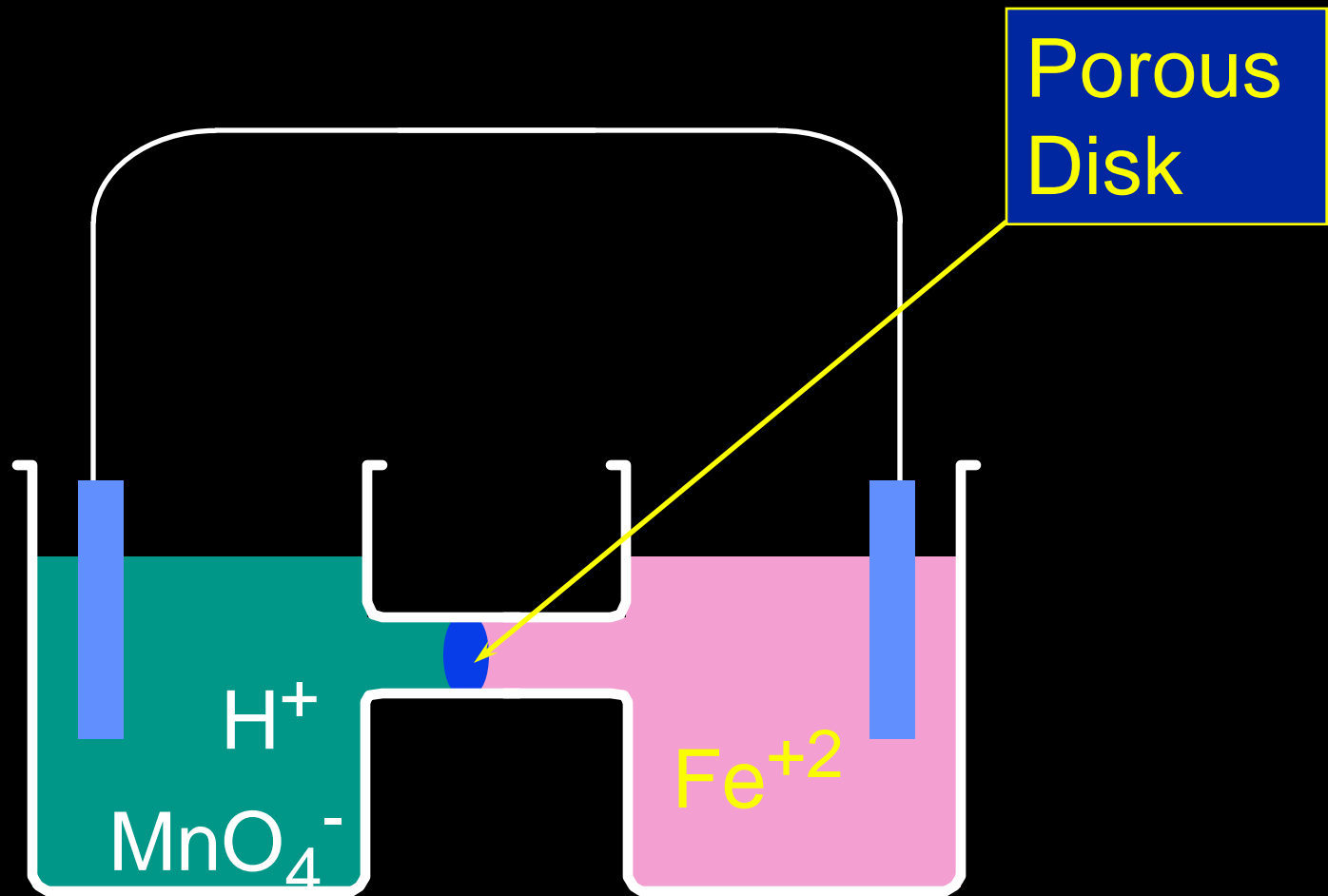


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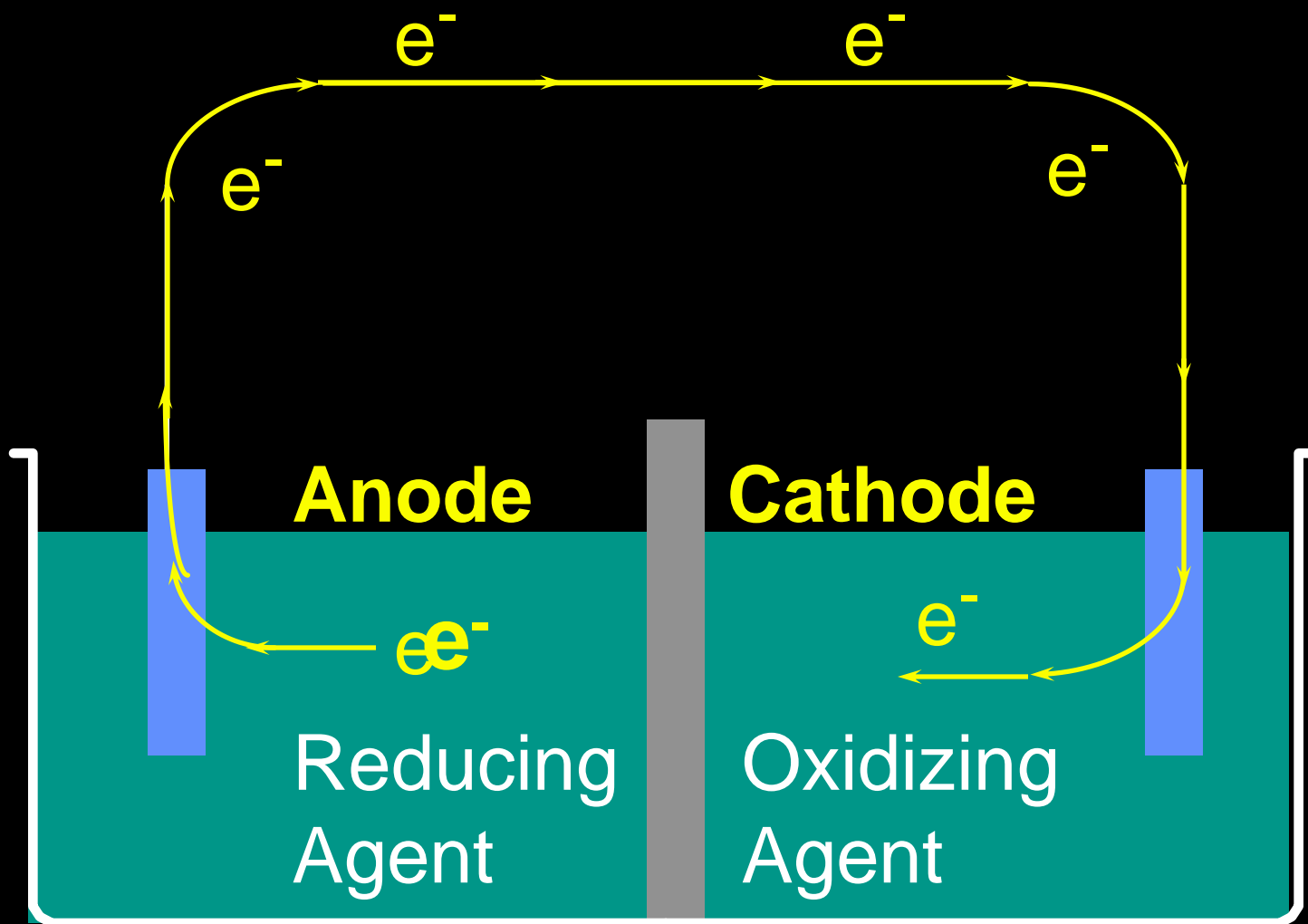




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# Cell Potential

Oxidizing agent pulls the electron.

Reducing agent pushes the electron.

The push or pull (“driving force”) is called the **cell potential**;  $E_{\text{cell}}$

Also called the **electromotive force (emf)**

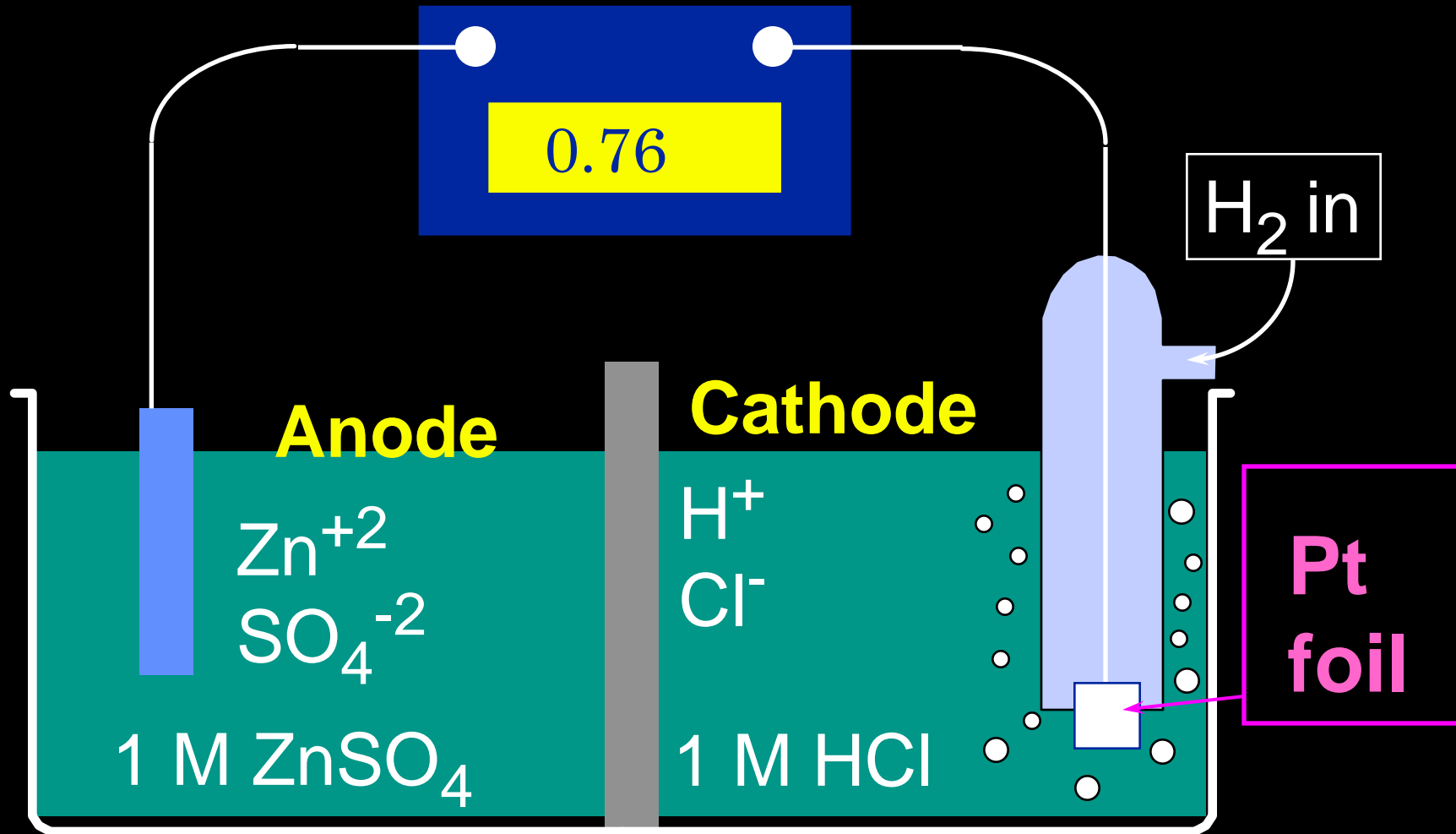
Unit is the **volt(V)**

$V = 1 \text{ joule of work/coulomb of charge}$

Measured with a voltmeter



# Standard Hydrogen Electrode



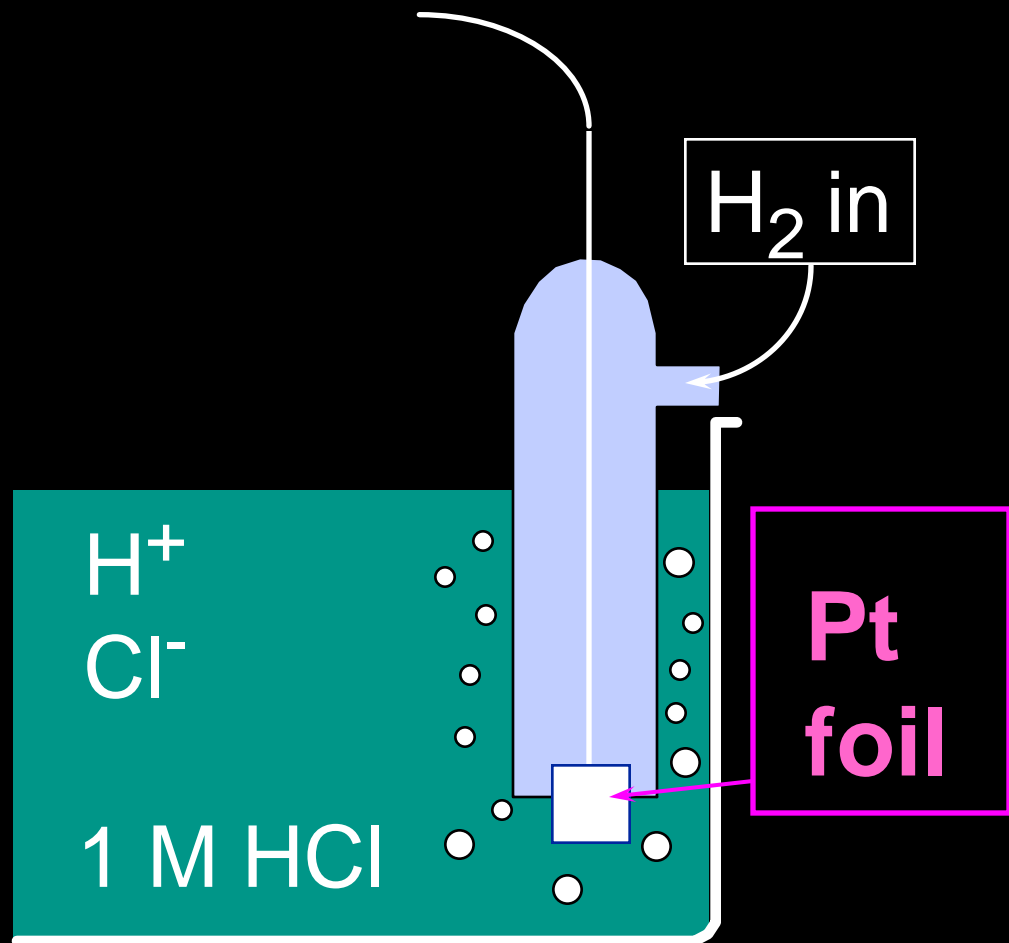
# Standard Hydrogen Electrode

This is the reference  
all other oxidations  
are compared to

$$E^{\circ} = 0$$

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states of 25°C,  
1 atm, 1 M  
solutions.

**Can not be  
produced only  
theoretical**

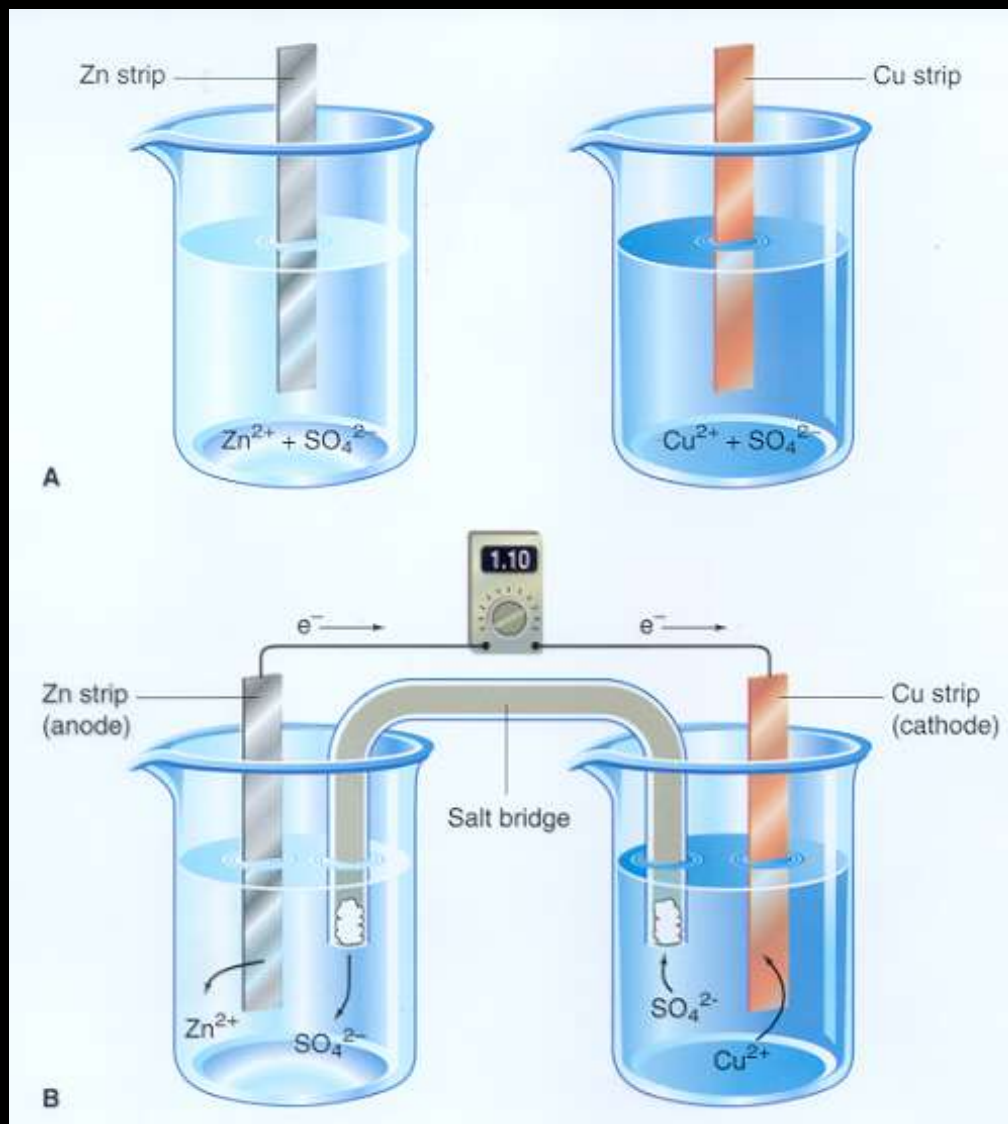


# Quick review

Oxidizing agent do what to electrons?

$E_{\text{cell}}$  stands for...

# Lets see this Happen



**In class... then at home.**

Read pages 651-663

**Complete Concept  
review 26.1, page  
663 #1-4**



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*29-April-2014*

**What takes place on the anode side of a voltaic cell? What is a unit for measuring  $E_{\text{cell}}$ ?**

# *Agenda*

Calculating  $E_{\text{cell}}$

Home Made Batteries

## **Objective:**

You will SEE the result of electrochemistry  
at work

# *Home Made Batteries and $E_{cell}$*

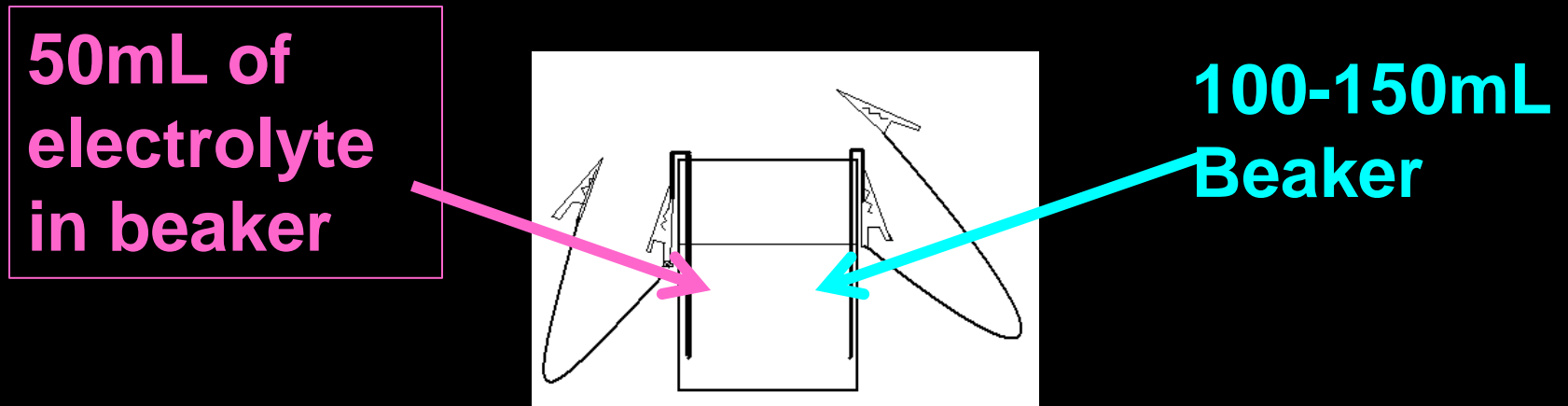
Use the setting  
of 2V or  
2000mV DCV  
on multimeter

Hold black and red leads to  
metal electrodes, if  
negative value switch the  
leads



# *Home Made Batteries and $E_{cell}$*

Use leads from Multi Meter to directly connect to anode and cathode



- Rinse electrode between uses
- Return electrolyte solution to stock bottles when finished.

# *Bell Work*

## *30-April-2014*

**When 0.4g of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  is oxidized by  $\text{MnO}_4^-$ , producing  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  as we saw in our titration lab last week, how many moles of  $e^-$  were exchanged?**

**(hint: stiochiometry)**

# *Calculating plating*

Have to count charge.

Measure current  $I$  (in amperes)

1 amp = 1 coulomb (C) of charge per second

$$q = I \times t$$

$q$  = quantity of electricity

$$q/F = \text{moles of metal}$$

$$F = 96,484 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$$

# *Cell Potential*

The total cell potential is the sum of the potential at each electrode.

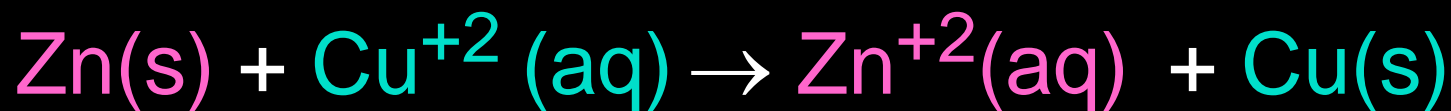
$$E^{\circ}_{\text{cell}} = E^{\circ}_{\text{anode}} + E^{\circ}_{\text{cathode}}$$

$$E^{\circ}_{\text{cell}} = E^{\circ}_{\text{oxidation}} + E^{\circ}_{\text{reduction}}$$

We can look up reduction potentials in a table.

One of the rxns must be reversed, so change its sign.

# *Cell Potential*



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$$E^{\circ}_{\text{cell}} = E^{\circ}_{\text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{+2}} + E^{\circ}_{\text{Cu}^{+2} \rightarrow \text{Cu}}$$

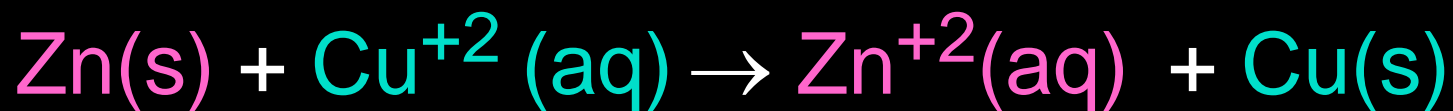
Lets look up reduction potentials in a table.

**Table 26.1 (page 667)**

Remember one of the rxns must be reversed, so change it's sign.



# *Cell Potential*



$$E^{\circ}_{\text{cell}} = E^{\circ}_{\text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{+2}} + E^{\circ}_{\text{Cu}^{+2} \rightarrow \text{Cu}}$$

$$E^{\circ}_{\text{cell}} = 0.762 + 0.340$$
$$= 1.102\text{V}$$

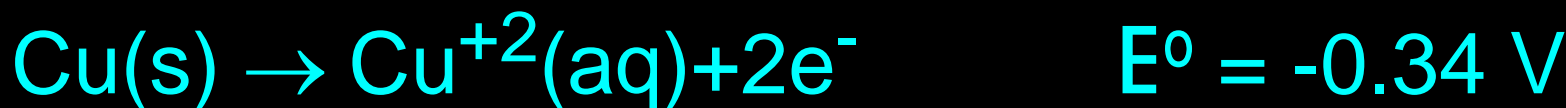
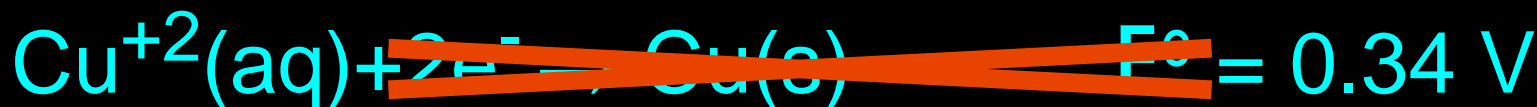
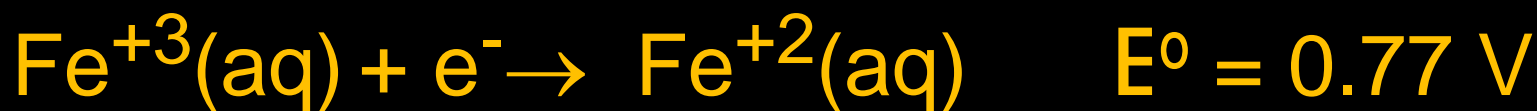
# *Cell Potential*

What are the  $E^\circ$  for the following rxns? Be sure the sign is correct.



# Cell Potential

Determine the cell potential for a galvanic cell based on the redox rxn.



# *Line Notation*

**solid** | Aqueous | | Aqueous | **solid**

Anode on the left | | Cathode on the right

Single line different phases.

Double line porous disk or salt bridge.

If all the substances on one side are aqueous, a platinum electrode is indicated.

For the last rxn

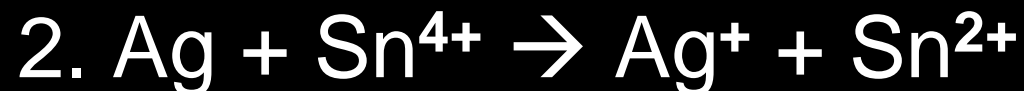
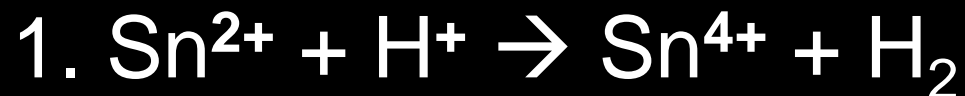
$\text{Cu(s)} \mid \text{Cu}^{+2}(\text{aq}) \mid \mid \text{Fe}^{+2}(\text{aq}), \text{Fe}^{+3}(\text{aq}) \mid \text{Pt(s)}$

## *Practice*

The standard reduction potentials of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Ag}^+$  in solution are +0.34 and +0.80, respectively. Determine the value of  $E$  in volts for the following cell at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ .



**What is  $E^\circ$  for the following?**



**At home.**

Read pages 665-671

**HW Page 670 #10a,b,c**

# *Bell Work 1-May-2014*

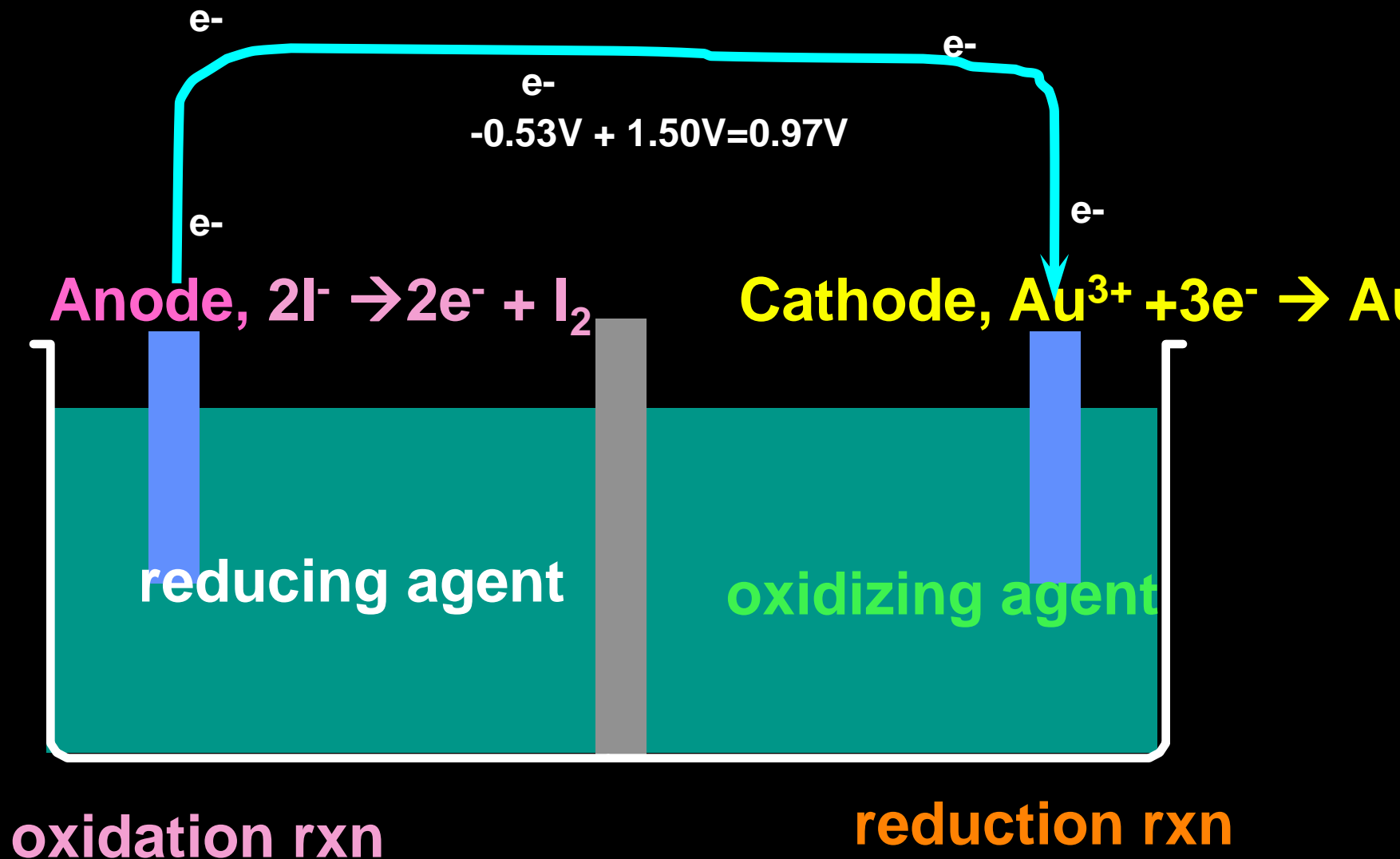
Complete the below voltaic cell by drawing in and labeling the following: **Anode**, **Cathode**, **oxidation rxn**, **reduction rxn**, **reducing agent**, **oxidizing agent**, and **direction of electron flow**

Use Au and I<sub>2</sub> as electrodes





# Bell Work solution



# Galvanic Cell

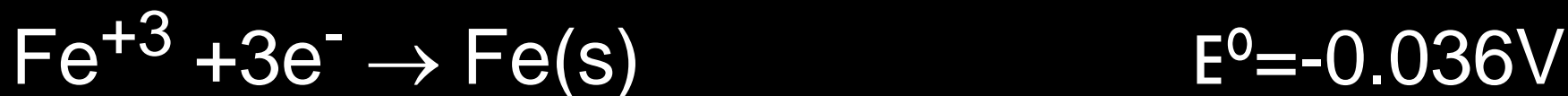
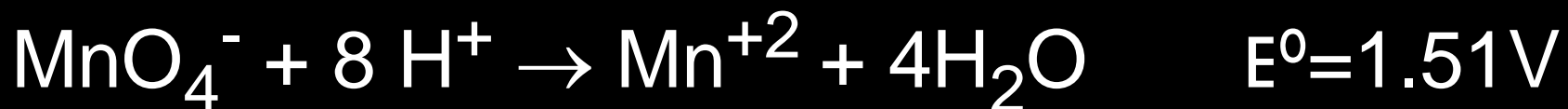
The rxn always runs spontaneously in the direction that produced a positive cell potential.

Four things for a complete description.

- 1) Cell Potential
- 2) Direction of flow
- 3) Designation of anode and cathode
- 4) Nature of all the components-  
electrodes and ions

# Practice

Completely describe the galvanic cell based on the following half-rxns under standard conditions (draw it out!).



## And More Practice

Using the standard reduction potentials,  
calculate the electromotive force (emf)  
for the following rxn:



# *Bell Work 2-May-2014*

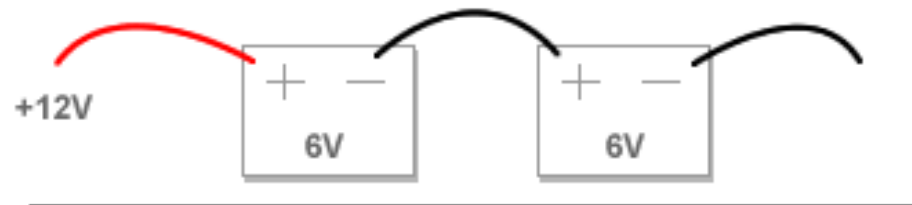
Draw a complete Voltaic cell between the metals **Al** and **Fe**. Make sure to label all the parts of the cell and calculate the theoretical cell potential. (Hint: use your standard reduction table on 667 to determine the anode and cathode)



# Bell Work



Connecting in Series (double voltage, same capacity [ah])



Connecting in Parallel (same voltage, double capacity [ah])

